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RE: MB Docket No. 15-149

Tom Wheeler
Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Dr. Jane G. Pisano
President and Director

Dear Chairman Wheeler,

The Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County is pleased to extend its support to the merger of Charter Communications, Time Warner Cable, and Bright House Networks into New Charter. We believe the merger would improve the cable broadband industry through increased competition and a commitment to community investment initiatives. As a museum, we value the merging companies' work with STEM education, and we are confident that as New Charter it would work to improve access and learning outcomes for students across the country.

At the museum, we work to inspire wonder, discovery, and responsibility for our natural and cultural worlds. We know that technology is a critical tool to reaching today's youth, and we try to utilize our resources to engage with all our visitors. Time Warner has supplied both financial and in-kind donations to our STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) programs, and we look forward to working with New Charter in the future.

New Charter has made clear it would be committed to community investment. It would specifically work to improve diversity and inclusion in its industry for the benefit of the consumers it serves. For example, New Charter would offer diverse programming and would partner with nonprofits and local organizations working to address the digital divide. We are impressed with the company's array of commitments to these initiatives, and are confident consumers would benefit from its services.

New Charter has positioned itself as a major player in the telecommunications industry. Its entrance to the market would provide greater competition and more access to technology for children and life-long learners. Please join us and approve the merger.

Sincerely,

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Jane G. Pisano
President, Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County